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Dear Commissioner,

We've been hearing about the overuse of antibiotics for months. Is there nothing you can do? If animals were treated more humanly, less antibiotics would be necessary. Since large corporations raising animals think only of profits, please start cracking down on antibiotic use which would necessitate their using more natural, less cruel methods.

Sometimes the FDA pays too much attention to the wants of the meat and dairy industries. Please do what is best for the future of the planet. This is not the time to continue shortsightedness.

Thank you for your reconsideration of the "antibiotic problem".

Sincerely,

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